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Dear friend,

Together with this letter I am sending you the Program of the V Symposium on East Timor and of the I Course on Indonesia and East Timor of Oporto University. Enclosed you can find also pré-inscription leaflets.

Unhapily the University of Oporto cannot pay the travelling expenses of anybody unless those of the teachers and special ghests. On what concerns stay expenses during the Symposium, the problem can be considered case by case. If you wish to come and you have problems related to this, please let us know and analyse your case. The decision will allways depend on the fundings we will get for this Symposium.

Sincerely Yours,

The Coordinator of the Course an V Symposium on East Timor of Oporto University

A. Barbedo de Magalhães
(Prof. Catedrático)

SHORT SUMMER COURSE ON INDONESIA AND EAST TIMOR - GENERAL BACKGROUND AND 5th SYMPOSIUM ON TIMOR OF OPORTO UNIVERSITY: EAST TIMOR AND INDONESIA: - WAYS TO FREEDOM, SELF-DETERMINATION AND DEMOCRACY

(Program: 1993.03.03)

Aims:

To provide participants with a general background on Indonesia and East Timor's history, culture and politics, in order to achieve a better understanding of the present situation and of the prospect for change.

To promote a better knowledge of the Timorese and Indonesian realities;

To create links and open perspectives for better understanding and cooperation not only between Timorese and Portuguese people but also among the intellectuals and politicians of the United States, Indonesia and other countries who want to promote a free East Timor and democratic evolution in Indonesia;

To discuss the role of Portugal and of the International Community in the self-determination process of East Timor and to debate proposals for concrete actions;

To prepare the future of East Timor, taking into account its cultural identity and its geographical context.

People to whom the Course is addressed:

- Timorese students and political leaders;
- Members of solidarity groups;
- Politicians;
- Journalists;
- Diplomatic officials;
- Students and specialists of international relations;

About 60 participants are expected (including guests and organisers). They should be able to understand English because most of the lectures and debates will take place in that languague, and there will probably not be simultaneous translation.

Minicourse on English

A short English Course will precede the Summer Course in April 1993 to refresh the English knowledge of some of the participants. The texts to be used will be related to the subjects of the Summer Course.

People to which the Symposium is adressed:

- All the participants of the Short Summer Course on Indonesia and East Timor;
- Timorese;
- People interested in the East Timor issue.

All the participants are required to present short papers. Only the opening and closing sessions are open to the general public without papers. Those sessions will have simultaneous English-Portuguese translation.

Duration: 8 days

Place: Lisbon - OPENING SESSION
Estoril Centro Escolar Turístico e Hoteleiro do Estoril - All the other sessions

Dates: From Thursday afternnon the 22nd to Thursday the 29th of July 1993

Organisation: University of Oporto
Instituto Superior de Ciências Sociais e Políticas, Technical University of Lisbon (?)

Coordinator: Prof. A. Barbedo de Magalhães
(University of Oporto)

Sponsorship: ?

- Gulbenkian Foundation (?)
- Oriente Foundation (?)
- Engº António de Almeida Foundation (?)
- Christian Movement for Peace (?)
- ...

Inscriptions:

The inscription in the Symposium depends on the presentation of a paper on one of the proposed themes by the prescribed date.
The number of participants in the course is limited to a maximum of sixty (including guests and organizers). Timorese will have the priority.

SCHEDULE OF THE COURSE AND OF THE Vth SYMPOSIUM

Thursday the 22 nd of July 1993 - Lisbon

15h30 to 17h30 - Opening of the Vth Symposium on Timor of the University of Oporto: Indonesia, East Timor and the International Community - (Public Session with simultaneous translation - English-Portuguese)

- **Speakers**
  - The Coordinator of the Symposium.
  - An Indonesian Ph.D. and teacher in one of the best Indonesian Universities.
  - Arnold Kohen, American journalist and congressional lobbyist in Washington.
  - Timorese Representatives:
  - A Japanese politician. (?)
  - Foreign Affairs Minister: (to be confirmed)

Friday the 23 rd of July 1993

Morning - Visits of foreign personalities to the Portuguese sovereignity organs (President, Parliament and Government).

Afternoon - Public sessions about **East Timor, Portugal and the International Community (with simultaneous translation)**

16h00 to 17h30 - Speeches by invited personalities like:

- Max Stahl (journalist who recorded the video of the massacre of 12 November 1991);
- Timorese refugee;
- Brazilian bishop (?);
- Benedict Anderson (Professor of Government at Cornell University, USA);

18h00 to 19h30 - Speeches by invited members of:

- European Parliament (Inter Group for East Timor);
- Portuguese Parliament;
- International Platform of Jurists for East Timor;
- Solidarity groups;
- President of Portuguese Parliament (to be confirmed).

19h30 to 21h00 - Dinner

21h00 to 23h00 - East Timor Cultural Night.

COURSE

Saturday the 24 th of July 1993

08h30 - Openning of the Course on Indonesia and East Timor - General Background.

09h30 to 10h15 - Benedict Anderson, Professor of Government at Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, USA.
- General Introduction to the History of Indonesia

10h15 to 11h00 - Discussion

11h00 to 11h30 - Cofee or tea break

11h30 to 12h15 - George Winius, Professor of History at Brown University, Providence, USA
- General Introduction to the History of East Timor in the Portuguese Empire

12h15 to 13h00 - Discussion

13h00 to 15h00 - Lunch and rest time

15h00 to 15h45 - Daniel Lev, Professor of Political Science at the University of Washington, Seatle USA
- Religion and Islamic Institutions in Indonesia

15h45 to 16h30 - Discussion

16h30 to 17h30 - Cofee or tea break and time for journalist

SYMPOSIUM

16h30 to 17h30 - Registration and distribution of papers to the participants of the Vth Symposium; journalists' time.

17h30 to 18h00 - Papers presented in plenary session

18h00 to 18h45 - Presentation of a video on the late colonial period of Indonesia

18h45 to 19h30 - General discussion about the film

19h30 to 21h00 - Dinner time

COURSE

Sunday the 25 th of July 1993

08h45 to 09h30 - Mr. Geoffrey Robinson, Ph D in Law, Canadian Member of Amnesty International based in London who has visited Indonesia several times
- Indonesia in the World: - Political and Economic Relations;

09h30 to 10h15 - Discussion

10h15 to 10h30 - Cofee or tea break

10h30 to 11h15 - Professor Benedict Anderson
- The Indonesian Army

11h15 to 12h00 - Discussion

12h00 to 13h00 - Christian Mass

13h00 to 15h00 - Lunch and rest time

15h00 to 15h45 - The birth of the Timorese Independence Movement
- Abílio Araújo and José Ramos Horta

15h45 to 16h30 - Discussion

16h30 to 17h00 - Cofee or tea break

17h00 to 18h30 - Optional additional class

SYMPOSIUM

16h30 to 17h30 - Journalists' time

17h30 to 18h30 - Simultaneous sessions to discuss papers presented to the Symposium and to prepare summaries by subject

18h45 to 19h30 - Video about the Origins of the Indonesian Army and of the Revolution (1945 - 1949)

19h30 to 21h00 Dinner time

21h00 to 22h00 - Discussion about the film

Monday the 26 th of July 1993

09h00 to 13h00 - Walk around Lisbon and social time for the participants

13h00 to 15h00 - Lunch time

15h00 to 15h45 - Liem Soei Liong, Indonesian Engineer, political refugee in Netherlands, editor of Tapol Bulletin and member of the Democratic Forum
- Suharto's New Order

15h45 to 16h30 - Discussion

16h30 to 17h00 - Cofee or tea break

17h00 to 18h30 - Optional additional class

SYMPOSIUM

16h30 to 17h30 - Journalists' time

17h30 to 18h30 - Simultaneous sessions to present and discuss papers and to prepare resumes

18h45 to 19h30 - Video about the Indonesian New Order

19h30 to 21h00 - Dinner

21h00 to 22h00 - Discussion on the video

COURSE

Tuesday the 27 th of July 1993

09h00 to 09h45 - Professor Daniel Lev
- Indonesian Legal System and the Social and Political Environment

09h45 to 10h30 - Discussion

10h30 to 11h00 - Cofee or tea break

11h00 to 11h45 - Adriano Moreira - Professor and President of the ad-hoc Commitee for East Timor of the Portuguese Parliament.
- East Timor and the World: - The Failure of the Decolonization and the Maintenance of the Issue in the UN

11h45 to 12h30 - Discussion

12h30 to 15h00 - Lunch and rest time

15h00 to 15h45 - Liem Soei Liong
- Opposition to the Regime and Political Future of Indonesia

15h45 to 16h30 - Discussion

16h30 to 17h00 - Coffe or tea break

17h00 to 18h30 - Optional additional class

SYMPOSIUM

16h30 to 17h30 - Journalists' time

17h30 to 18h30 - Simultaneous sessions to present and discuss papers and to prepare resumes

18h45 to 19h30 - Video on East Timor

19h30 to 21h00 - Dinner

21h00 to 22h00 - Discussion on the video

COURSE

Wednesday the 28 th of July 1993

09h00 to 09h45 - Geoffrey Robinson
- Human Rights in Indonesia and East Timor

09h45 to 10h30 - Discussion

10h30 to 11h00 - Cofee or tea break

11h00 to 11h45 - Optional classes on complementary themes

11h45 to 12h30 - Discussion

12h30 to 15h00 - Lunch time

15h00 to 17h00 - General discussion on the themes of the Course

SYMPOSIUM

17h00 to 18h00 - Cofee or tea break and journalist's time

18h00 to 19h30 - Debate on the themes of the Vth Symposium and discussion of proposals for future actions

19h30 to 21h00 - Dinner

SYMPOSIUM

Thursday the 29 th of July 1993

09h00 to 10h30 - Discussion about future actions in order to free East Timor and achieve self determination and democracy

10h30 to 11h00 - Cofee or tea break

11h00 to 12h30 - Discussion about ways to achieve democracy in Indonesia

15h00 to 15h45 - Speeches by a Foreign Affairs Ministry Official, by a representative of the Municipality, and Academic Authorities

15h45 to 16h15 - Cofee or tea break

PUBLIC SESSION

(FREE ENTRANCE AND WITH ENGLISH - PORTUGUESE SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION)

16h15 to 18h00 - Closing Session: - East Timor and Indonesia: Ways to Freedom, Self-Determination and Democracy

- **Speakers**
  - Leader of the most important moslem movement in Indonesia
  - Leaders of the Timorese Resistance
  - Coordinator of the Symposium
  - President of Oporto University
  - President of Portugal (to be confirmed)

EAST TIMOR AND INDONESIA: WAYS TO FREEDOM, SELF-DETERMINATION AND DEMOCRACY

Pré-Inscription in the V Symposium on Timor of Oporto University and in the Summer Course on Indonesia and East Timor

Full name: _____

Adress: _____

Postal Code: _____ Place: _____

Telephone (at home) _____ Telephone (at work) _____ Fax _____

Place a x in the space close to the right answer:

Timorese? Yes ☐ No ☐ ; Age: Less then 18 ☐ 19 to 25 ☐ 26 to 40 ☐ More then 40 anos ☐

Grades: _____

Profession: _____

Languages Known	*Well, writen and spoken*	*Reasonable*	*I understand but I do not speak*	*I don't speak and I don't understand*	*OBSERVATIONS*
Portuguese					
English					
Tetum					
Bahasa Indonésio					
Others:					

I have the intention of presenting writen papers on the following thèmes: _____

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with the titles: _____

_____

I pretend to contribute with _____$00 for the expenses of the Symposium. (*Please don't send money as far as your inscription has not yet been confirmed*).

Note: The inscription only will become effective after the Presidence of Oporto University receives your paper and confirms the inscription.

_____, _____ of _____ of 1993

Hand signature: _____

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